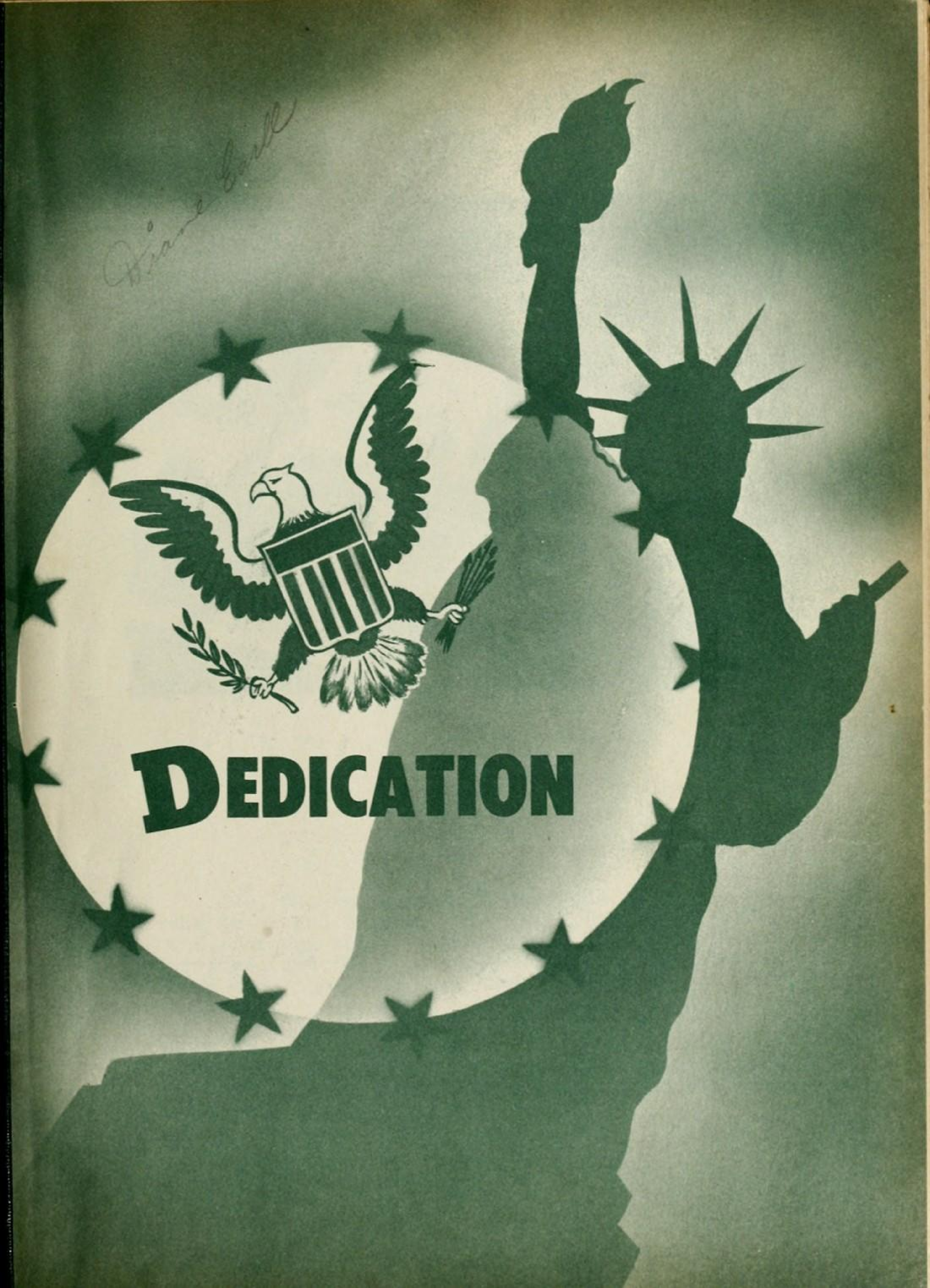
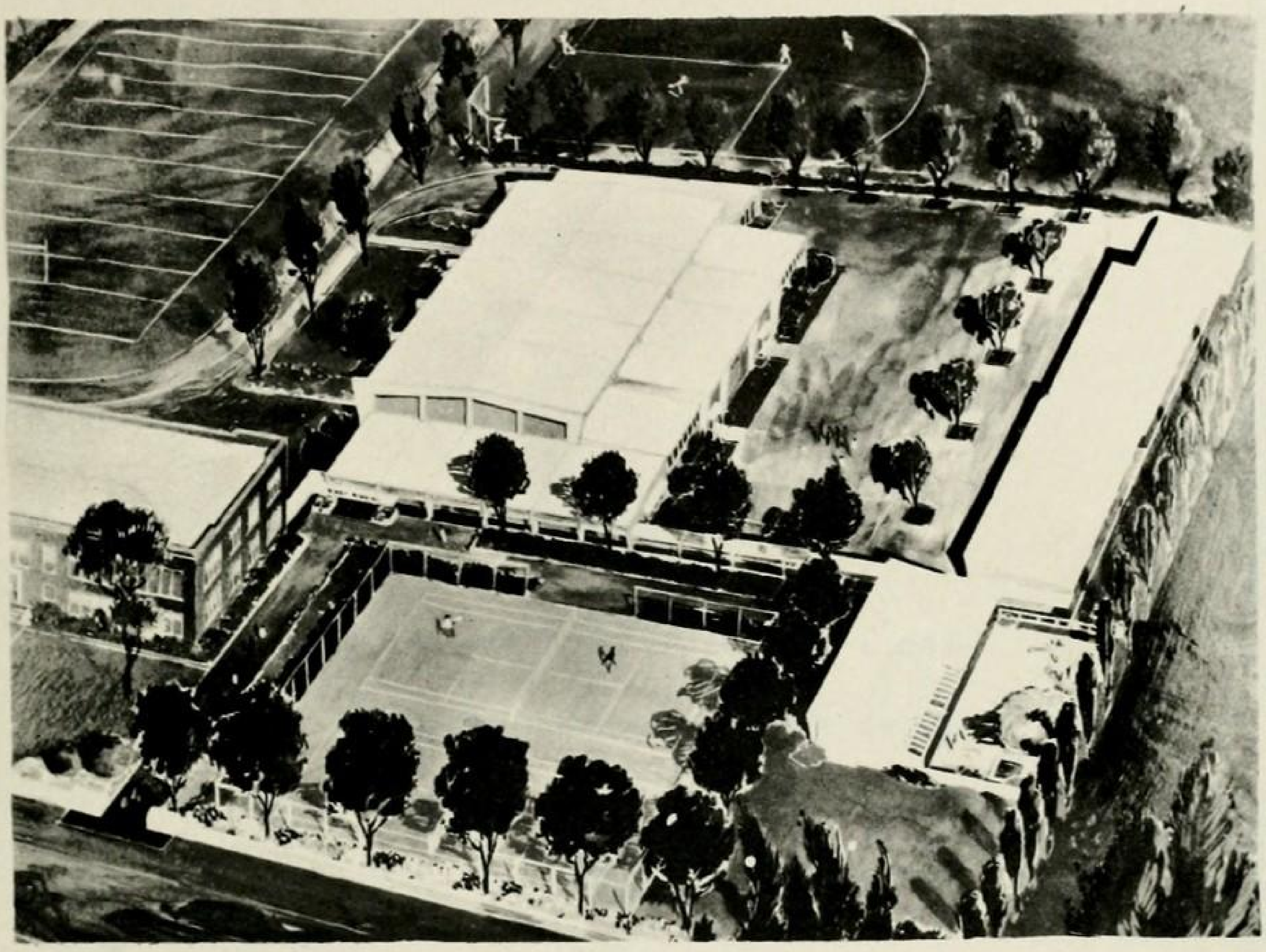
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GREEN AND GOLD


DEDICATION



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We, the annual staff, dedicate this issue of the Green and Gold to the taxpayers of Big Pine who, through their understanding of educational progress and the financial aspects of our school, have made possible the construction of our new building.

We also want to take this opportunity to thank them for the many educational opportunities we have enjoyed during our attendance in Big Pine Unified Schools.

IN MEMORIAM

IN MEMORY OF OUR GOOD FRIEND AND LIBRARIAN, BESSA ROBINSON BROOK. THE ENTIRE COMMUNITY AS WELL AS THE STUDENTS FELT A LOSS WHEN SHE PASSED AWAY. SHE WAS BIG PINE'S LIBRARIAN FOR 33 YEARS AND ALWAYS GAVE HER TIME WILLINGLY TO HELP US ALL. WITH SINCERE AFFECTION AND RESPECT WE DEDICATE THIS PAGE TO OUR LIFE LONG FRIEND.

FORWARD

MANY OF US MIGHT WISH THAT WE COULD FOREVER STAY YOUNG AND LIVE THE HAPPY CAREFREE DAYS OF SCHOOL. SINCE NONE OF US HAS THE POWER TO STOP THE YEARS FROM SLIPPING BY WE MUST FULLY LIVE OUR SCHOOL DAYS, THEN AS WE GROW OLDER, KEEP HAPPY MEMORIES OF FRIENDS AND GOOD TIMES.

WE, THE ANNUAL STAFF, HOPE THAT THIS BOOK WILL BE A REMINDER OF SUCH MEMORIES.

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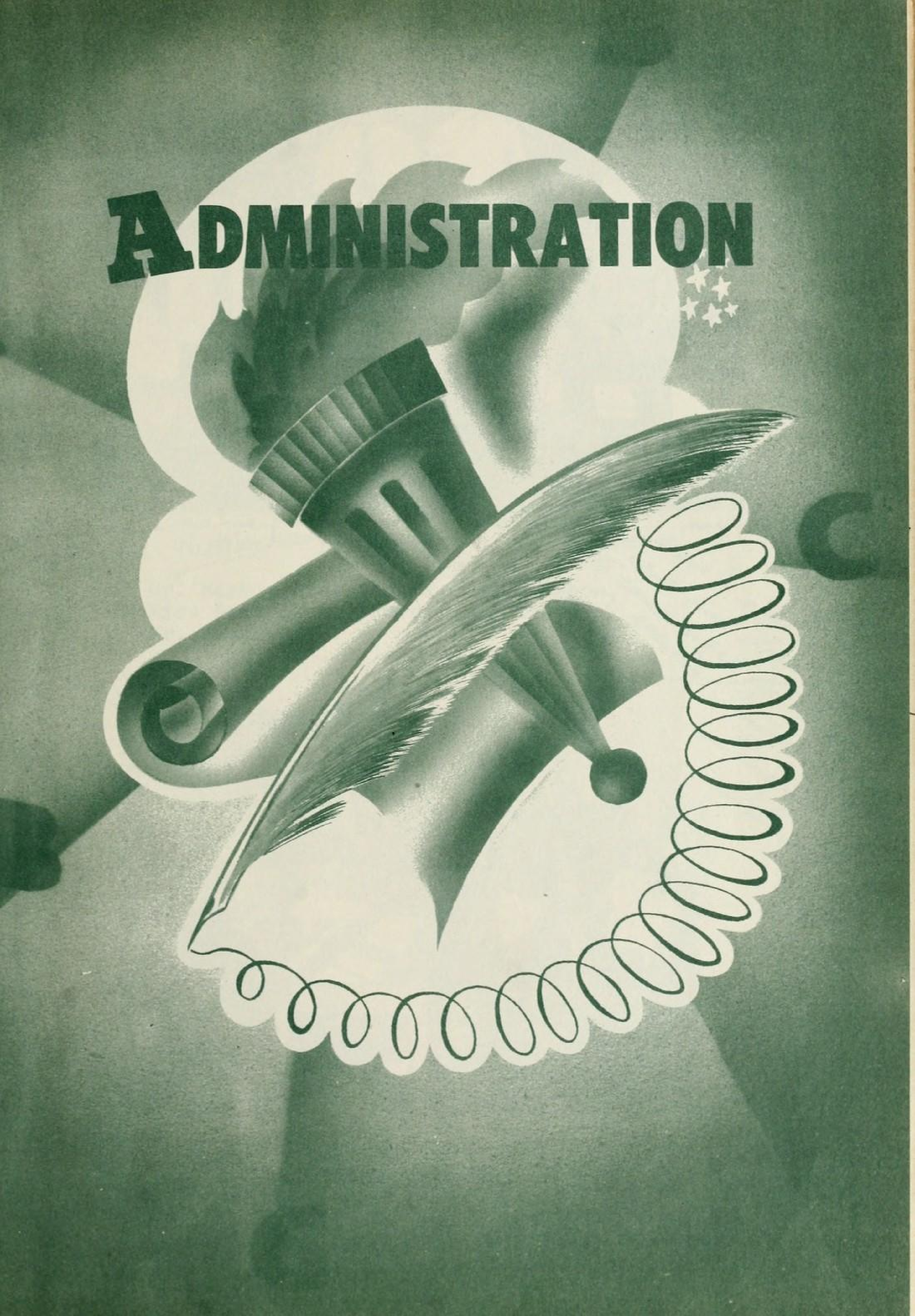
THE SENIOR CLASS OF 1950 TAKES THIS OPPORTUNITY TO THANK ALL THOSE WHO HELPED IN MAKING THIS ANNUAL POSSIBLE.

TO OUR ADVERTISERS, WE ESPECIALLY ARE APPRECIATIVE FOR WITHOUT THEIR HELP THIS YEAR BOOK WOULD NOT HAVE BECOME A REALITY.

TO OUR ADVISOR, MRS. WASSON, WHO GUIDED AND ADVISED US THROUGH OUR MANY ACCOMPLISHMENTS.

TO THE MEMBERS OF THE JUNIOR CLASS WHO HELPED US SELL OUR ADVERTISING.

ADMINISTRATION





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STUDENT COUNCIL

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CALIFORNIA SCHOLARSHIP FEDERATION

THE CALIFORNIA SCHOLARSHIP FEDERATION IS AN ORGANIZATION OF STUDENTS WITH HIGH SCHOLASTIC STANDARDS. THEY ARE GIVEN CERTAIN PRIVILEGES FOR THEIR FINE WORK.

IN ORDER TO BELONG YOU MUST MAKE 10 POINTS ON YOUR SEMESTER AVERAGE. THREE POINTS ARE GIVEN FOR A'S AND 1 POINT FOR B'S. THIS YEAR THERE ARE 5 MEMBERS.

THE GROUP ALWAYS HAS MANY TRIPS AND SOCIAL ACTIVITIES AS A REWARD FOR THEIR SCHOLASTIC ACHIEVEMENTS. THE OUTSTANDING EVENT FOR THE CLUB IS THE STATE CONVENTION, HELD EVERY SPRING.

THE BIG PINE STUDENT BODY IS PROUD OF THESE MEMBERS AND HOPE THAT IN YEARS TO COME MORE STUDENTS WILL WORK HARD TO RAISE THEIR STANDARDS HIGH ENOUGH TO WIN MEMBERSHIP IN THE C.S.F.

STUDENT COUNCIL

THE STUDENT COUNCIL WAS MADE UP OF THE FOLLOWING STUDENTS: SALLY GRIFFITH, PRESIDENT, BILL BYE, VICE-PRESIDENT, BETTY STEWART, SECRETARY, JEANNE TOWERS, TREASURER, RUTH SCOTT, ELDRED RICHARDS, TED HUNNEWELL, GERALD WATSON, AND RITA CYRUS. THE ELEMENTARY SCHOOL REPRESENTATIVES WERE DUANE ROSSI, AND MIKE PAUL.

THEY HAVE WORKED WELL UNDER THE GUIDANCE OF THEIR ADVISOR MR. DIETRICK.

THE COUNCIL IS A MEMBER OF THE DISTRICT STUDENT COUNCIL ASSOCIATION AND HAS ATTENDED MANY OF THE MEETINGS THIS YEAR.

IT AIN'T THE GUNS NOR ARMAMENT, NOR THE FUNDS
THAT THEY CAN PAY
BUT THE CLOSE CO-OPERATION THAT MAKES THEM
WIN THE DAY;
IT AIN'T THE INDIVIDUAL, NOR THE ARMY AS A WHOLE,
BUT THE EVERLASTIN' TEAMWORK OF EVERY
BLOOMIN' SOUL.

--RUDYARD KIPLING



ANNUAL STAFF

1st row; Rita Cyrus, Karen Rossi, Mrs. Wasson, Ruth Scott, Lorraine Herrmann, 2nd row; Ted Hunnewell, Lorene Leigh, Betty Stewart, Sally Griffith, Jeanne Towers, 3rd row: Stan Ball, Bill Bye, Frank Cooley.



SCHOLORSHIP SOCIETY

Bill Bye, Ted Hunnewell, Mrs. Wasson, Jeanne Towers, Rita Cyrus, Helen Naef

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SENIORS



FRANK COOLEY



SALLY GRIFFITH



RUTH SCOTT



JEANNE TOWERS

With a lot of Luck to a swell classmate & may the senior year be a success.
Frank Cooley

SENIOR HISTORY

The class of '50 entered dear old B.P.H.S. as a group of frightened freshmen with their minds set on accomplishing great things. But after they met up with the annual freshmen initiation and Mrs. Wasson's algebra assignments they decided it would take a little while to accomplish the impossible.

As sophomores they contributed their undiscovered genius to school activities such as sports, student council, and the honor roll. An administrator dinner was prepared and served by these humble lowerclassmen, and thie event since then has proved to be an almost traditional custom.

When their Junior year rolled around they finally came to realize their ambition of accomplishing great things. They gave the annual Junior-Senior banquet held in honor of the seniors of '49, the theme was very appropriate with the auditorium decorated as a huge covered wagon, the banquet was a big success and one which we all shall remember.

This their senior year has been the crowning glory of their high school career. Their ditch day, and many trips to Los Angeles, made possible by Mr. Dietrick, were events which shall be cherished always. The class, being the smallest in school, has had many opportunities and have done their best to take advantage of them. The senior baccalaurate ceremonies bring them to the end of their high school careers and a long awaited event-graduation.We the class of '50 hope that we have set a standard for other classes to follow and that they have as much fun and success in Big Pine High as we have had.

SENIOR WILL

WE, THE CLASS OF 1950 OF BIG PINE HIGH SCHOOL, BEING OF HABITUALLY BEFUDDLED MIND, AND SHORT OF MEMORY DO DECLARE THIS TO BE OUR LAST WILL AND TESTAMENT AND DO HEREBY REVOKE ANY AND ALL PREVIOUS WILLS MADE BY US.

WE WILL AND BEQUEATH TO THE STUDENT BODY THE SPIRIT OF LOVE AND AFEECTION AND THE SAME LOYALTY THAT WE HAVE ALWAYD HELD FOR THE ONE AND ONLY HIGH SCHOOL.

TO THE MEMBERS OF THE JUNIOR CLASS WE WILL OUR DIGNITY.

TO THE MEMBERS OF THE SOPHOMORE CLASS WE WILL OUR INTELLIGENT LOOKS IN HOPE THAT THEY MAY BE ABLE TO IMPRESS THE FACULTY MORE FAVORABLY.

TO THE FRESHMEN WE WILL OUR ABILITY TO LEARN. THIS IS A NECESSARY ASSET IF THEY ARE TO BECOME SENIORS.

TO OUR BELOVED AND RESPECTED FACULTY WE WILL A PERIOD OF REST AND QUIET, FREE FROM ALL INTERRUPTIONS BY US, AND LACKING IN ALL THE TROUBLES WE HAVE BROUGHT THEM.

TO BILLY BYE I, FRANK COLLEY, DO WILL MY BIG FEET.

TO HEIDI NAEF AND LORENE LEIGH I, RUTH SCOTT, WILL MY KNITTING. IT'S A GOOD PAST TIME.

TO JOY BROADY I, SALLY GRIFFITH, WILL JEROME.

TO BETTY STEWART I, MARIE O'BRIEN, HEREBY LEAVE MY CURLY EYE LASHES-BE CAREFUL ON RAINY DAYS.

TO RITA CYRUS I, JEANNE TOWERS, WILL MY SCHOLASTIC ABILITY.

TO BILL ROBERTS I, FRANK COOLEY, LEAVE MY ABILITY TO CHEW GUM.

TO MIACHEL ROSSI, ELDRED RICHARDS, AND CLIFFOR BOWERS I, RUTH SCOTT, WILL MY ANGELIC EXPRESSION, MAY IT KEEP THEM OUT OF TROUBLE.

TO LORRAINE HERRMANN I, SALLY GRIFFITH, WILL MY STUDENT COUNCIL OFFICE AND A BOX OF ASPIRIN.

TO AGNES BACOCH I, MARIE O'BRIEN, LEAVE MY PERFECT ATTENDANCE RECORD.

TO JOE KNIGHT AND DIANNE EARL I, JEANNE TOWERS LEAVE MY MUSICAL TALENTS.

To BUD CYRUS, DWIGHT SIMMONS, NICK BACOCH, AND MERTON RICHARDS I, FRANK COOLEY, BY THE BIGNESS OF MY HEART LEAVE THE CUSTODY AND CARE OF ALL THE FRESHMEN GIRLS.

To COBY ROSSI AND STANFORD BALL I, RUTH SCOTT, LEAVE MY ABILITY IN THE ARTS.

To HELEN NAEF I, SALLY GRIFFITH, LEAVE MY ADDRESS BOOK.

To TEDDY HUNNEWELL I, MARIE O'BRIEN, LEAVE MY A'S.

To MR. DIETRICK I, JEANNE TOWERS, LEAVE ALL MY EXCUSES FOR ABSENCES SO ELDRED RICHARDS WILL NOT FIND THEM.

A SPORTSMAN'S PRAYER

DEAR LORD, IN THE BATTLE THAT GOES ON THRU LIFE,

I ASK BUT A FIELD THAT IS FAIR.

A CHANCE THAT IS EQUAL WITH ALL IN THE STRIFE

A COURAGE TO DO AND TO DARE.

AND IF I SHOULD WIN, LET IT BE BY THE CODE

WITH MY FAITH AND MY HONOR HELD HIGH.

AND IF I SHOULD LOSE LET ME STAND BY THE ROAD

AND CHEER AS THE WINNERS GO BY!

--KNUTE ROCKNE

SENIOR PROPHESY

EVERYTHING WAS SET FOR THE BIG TAKEOFF. THE NEWSPAPER REPORTERS HAD THEIR NOTEBOOKS AND PENCILS READY TO CATCH EVERY WORD. THE PHOTOGRAPHER HAD HIS CAMERA READY AND FINALLY--THEY WERE OFF! OFF INTO THE WILD UNKNOWN THAT NO ONE HAD EVER DARED TO TRAVEL BEFORE. THEY WERE FIRST. AT LEAST THAT IS WHAT THESE EMMINENT SCIENTISTS THOUGHT.

AS THEY PASSED VENUS THEY THOUGHT THEY SAW THE IMPOSSIBLE. IT COULDN'T BE! THERE COULD NEVER BE A BUILDING DOWN THERE. THEY WERE SO PUZZLED THAT THEY DECIDED TO INVESTIGATE. UPON LANDING THEY WERE WELCOMED BY--YOU GUESSED IT--RUTH SCOTT. SHE HAD TIRED OF BEING A NURSE AND HAD BECOME A CHIROPODIST. IN ORDER TO BE RID OF COMPETITION SHE HAD BUILT HER HOSPITAL ON VENUS WITH A LITTLE SIGN SAYING "TOENAILS CLIPPED-5¢ A FOOT."

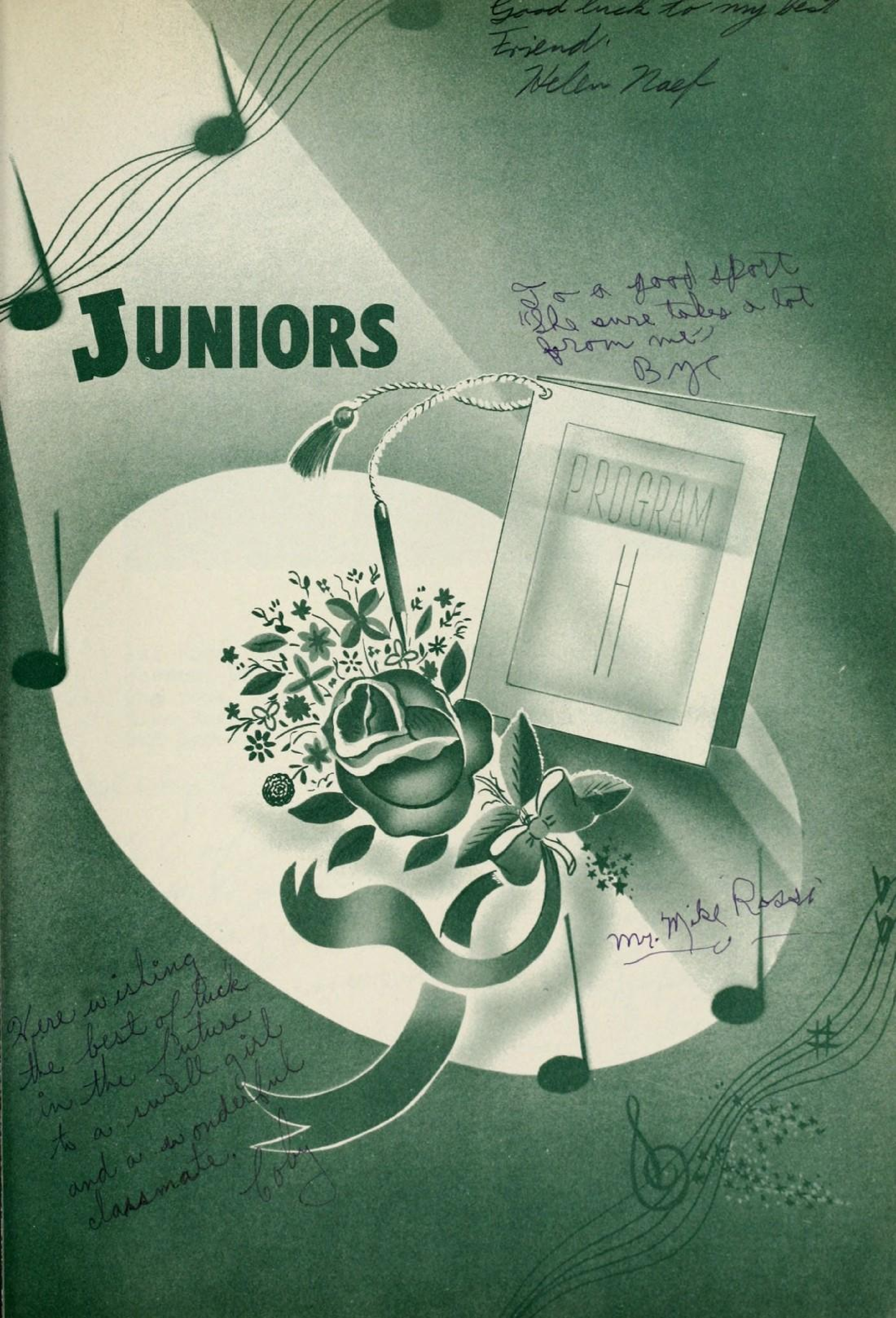
AFTER BEING TREATED FOR SHOCK THEY STARTED ON TOWARD JUPITER WHERE THEY CAUGHT SIGHT OF A HUGE ROCKET SHIP. SALLY GRIFFITH HAD FINALLY BECOME AN AVIATRIX.

HAVING DECIDED BY THEN THAT NOTHING WAS IMPOSSIBLE THEY WEREN'T VERY SURPRISED TO SEE MARIE O'BRIEN'S LITTLE ROSE COVERED COTTAGE ON PLUTO. SHE AND JACK HAD DECIDED THAT THEY "VANTED TO BE ALONE." THE LONELIEST PLACE IN THE SKY IS PLUTO.

FLYING BACK TO MARS THEY FOUND THE WORLDS GREATEST ASTRONOMER, FRANK COOLEY. HE HAD FIGURED OUT, IN MATH, THAT THE BEST PLACE TO STUDY THE STARS WAS FROM THE SKY, SO HE MOVED TO MARS.

ON THE LAST LAP OF THEIR JOURNEY THE STOPPED OVER ON MERCURY AT THE LITTLE RED SCHOOL HOUSE. THEY FOUND THAT JEANNE TOWERS HAD FINALLY REALIZED HER DREAM OF BEING A SCHOOL TEACHER. JUST AS THEY ENTERED SHE DISMISSED THE CLASS WITH A FOND "BEAT IT!"

OUR SCIENTISTS RETURN TO EARTH SLIGHTLY BEWILDERED AND VERY DISAPPOINTED. THEY HAD HOPED TO BE THE FIRST UP IN THE WILD BLUE YONDER. BUT THEY HAD NOT RECKONED WITH THE INGENUITY OF THE CLASS OF 1950.


JUNIORS
PROGRAM



JUNIOR CLASS

1st row: Dwight Simmons, Helen Naef, Mrs. Wasson, Betty Stewart, and Coby Rossi.
2nd row: Carlos Herrera, Eldred Richards, Mike Rossi, Billy Bye, Bill Roberts, and Bud Cyrus.

Gladys L Wasson

Lots of good luck to you and Gary
Dwight Simmons
"51"

To my future sister in law lot of luck and take care of my brother
Bill Roberts
'51'

Lots of luck to a swell kid and be careful with Gary
"Betty Boo"

To a very nice and Pretty girl
Carlos Herrera

Junior Class History

In September of 1947 ten students; Coby Rossi, Betty Stewart, Bud Cyrus, Diane Earll, Eldred Richards, Bob Blaloc, Gena Stone, Georgia Thatcher, Dwight Simmons, and Bill Bye boarded the Freshmen train of Big Pine High School Education.

On October 7, we were initiated. But on October 8, 2 students, Bud and Eldred, fell off the train. However, on October 9, along with Helen Naef, from Switzerland they boarded the train again. Whether Bob bought a ticket or not we never found out. He got off the train before we had traveled very far.

Everything went smoothly until Georgia lost her suitcase and got left behind when she got off to get it. When we reached the second semester station two new passengers got on, Bill Roberts, and Carlos Herrera. From then on we went happily-well we went anyway-on to the end of the first line. In order to get ready for the second line we got off for a little vacation.

When the sophomore train pulled into the station we discovered that Mike Rossi had taken Gena's ticket and she was left behind but Mike continued on with us. For a whole year the passenger list did not change and we enjoyed ourselves a great deal. At Christmas when we stopped at a station for a rest our teacher Mr. Roth got locked in the station. But Mrs. Purdy got on at the next stop and before we knew it we were at the end of the second line and headed for a fine vacation.

Reluctantly we all boarded the Junior train and started on our third trip with two new passengers, Art Starr, and Bob Dewey. They must not have like the passengers or the engineer, Mrs. Wasson, or maybe they didn't have tickets, anyway they got off at the first stop.

Well, on this trip we haven't done much but ride along. We are planning a big Junior-Senior banquet when we get to the station where the senior train is switched. The officers for the trip were Betty Stewart-president, Coby Rossi-Vice president, Helen Naef-Secretary, and Carlos Herrera- treasurer.


SOPHOMORES

FRESHMEN



...s Diane,
...s a good friend
...d a good swimmer.
Good luck
Lorene Leigh

To glamour gal Diane.
always friendly
but what a temper.
Good luck to
you. Heidi Naef.

All the luck in the world
Clifford Bowles

wishing you a lot of luck
in the years to come.
Jerry Watson

To a swell gal
Good luck
Joy Broady

To a nice girl
Doc Knight



SOPHOMORE CLASS

Gerald Watson, Teddy Hunnewell, Lorraine Herrmann, Agnes Bacoch, Nick Bacoch, Mr. Furu.



FRESHMEN CLASS

Rita Cyrus, Heidi Naef,Betty Armstrong,Joy Broady, Lorene Leigh, Mr. Marko, Joe Knight, Stanford Ball, Clifford Bowers.

SOPHOMORE HISTORY

WE THE CLASS OF 1952 ENTERED HIGH SCHOOL WITH NINE CLASS MEMBERS, TEDDY HUNNEWELL, LORRAINE HERRMANN, LORRAINE WESTERVELT, AGNES BACOCH, GLADYS WILSON, PAUL SMITH, GERALD WATSON, EARL CLAIR, AND NICK BACOCH. BUT AFTER A FEW WEEKS PAUL SMITH MOVED AWAY, THEN THERE WERE EIGHT.

HARDLY ANYTHING HAPPENED TO THE FRESHMEN THAT YEAR EXCEPT INITIATION, WHICH REALLY CAUSED SOME EXCITMENT. THE FRESHMEN BOYS AND GIRLS HAD TO EXCHANGE CLOTHES AND WEAR THEM BACKWARDS WE HAD TO SIT IN AN ELECTRIC CHAIR AND THEN WE WERE MADE TO EAT RAW EGGS, TWO STUDENTS SHINED THE TEACHERS' SHOES. THAT NIGHT THERE WAS A PARTY FOR US.

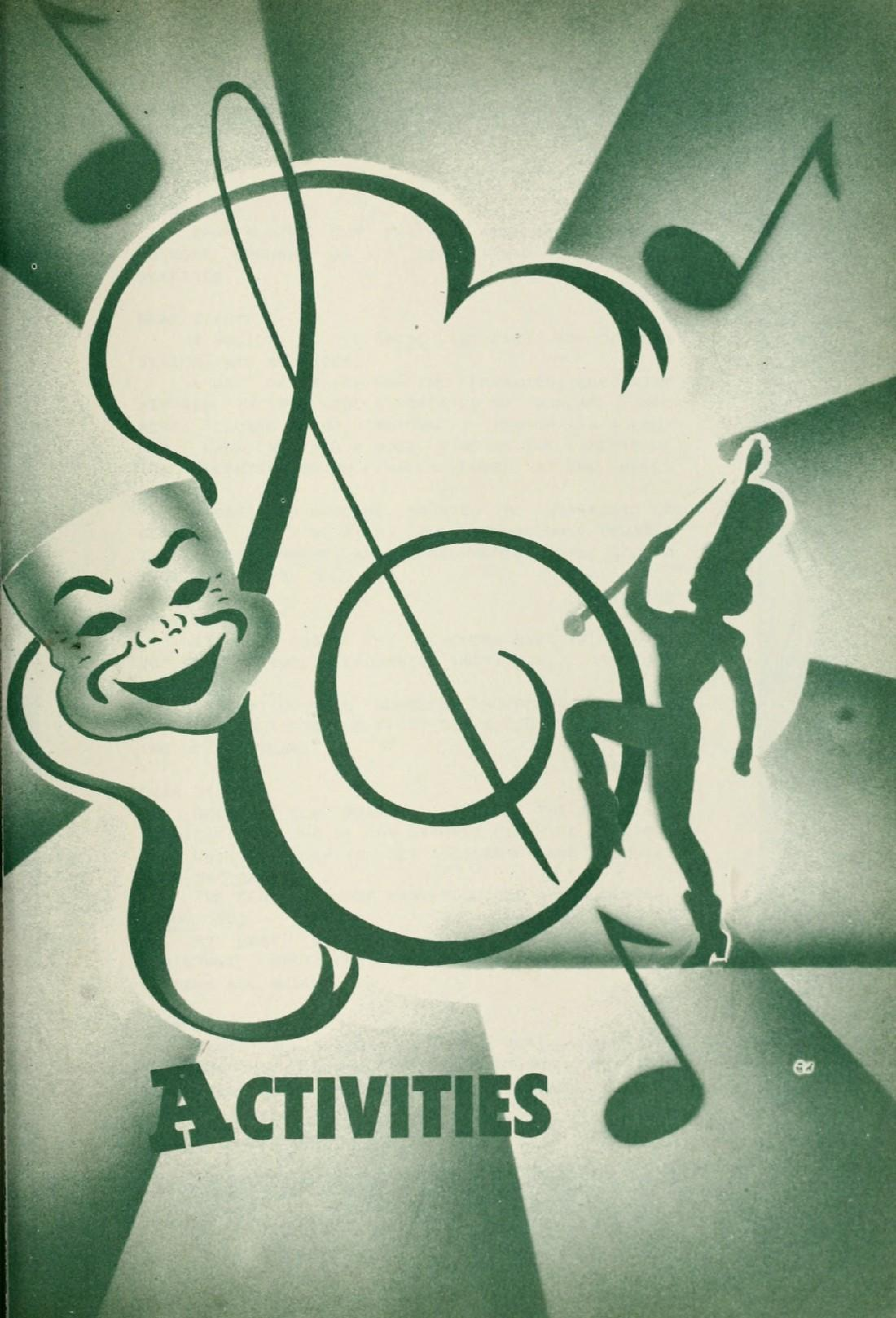
BEFORE CHRISTMAS VACATION, MR. MARKO, OUR SPANISH TEACHER, LET US HAVE A MEXICAN CHRISTMAS PARTY. JUST BEFORE SCHOOL LET OUT, LORRAINE WESTERVELT LEFT US, THIS REDUCED OUR CLASS TO SEVEN.

WHEN WE WENT BACK TO SCHOOL AS SOPHOMORES WE HAD SIX MEMBERS BECAUSE EARL CLAIR HAD MOVED AWAY DURING THE SUMMER. SHORTLY AFTER SCHOOL OPENED GLADYS WILSON LEFT US. FOR SEVERAL WEEKS WE HAD AN ADDITIONAL SOPHOMORE, RAY FRANZ. DURING OUR TWO YEARS IN HIGH SCHOOL WE HAVE HAD MANY ENJOYABLE TIMES AND WE ARE LOOKING FORWARD TO OUR NEXT TWO YEARS.

FRESHMEN HISTORY

THE FRESHMEN CLASS IS COMPRISED OF EIGHT STUDENTS: CLIFFORD BOWERS, MERTON RICHARDS, STANFORD BALL, JOE KNIGHT, HEIDI NAEF, RITA CYRUS, BETTY ARMSTRONG AND LORENE LEIGH. LATER ON IN JANUARY, 1950, JOY BROADY JOINED THEM.

INITIATION DAY WAS A BIG AFFAIR FOR THE FRESHMEN AND FOR THE REST OF THE HIGH SCHOOL ALSO. THE FRESHMEN HAD TO WEAR FEED SACKS AND THE GIRLS HAD TO HAVE THEIR HAIR BRAIDED ALL OVER THEIR HEAD. ALTHOUGH WE ARE STILL A LITTLE GREEN, WE HOPE SOMEDAY TO FOLLOW IN THE SENIORS FOOTSTEPS.



ACTIVITIES

SEPTEMBER

DEAR DIARY:

WHAT A DAY! OUR FAITHFUL AND UNDERSTANDING MOTHERS BROUGHT US TO SCHOOL--HAND-CUFFED AND DEFEATED

OCTOBER

DEAR DIARY:

A HOLIDAY IS DECLARED. THE FIRST DAY OF DEER SEASON--AND NO BUCKS.

A DAY OF GRIEF FOR THE FRESHIES, ELEGANTLY ATTIRED IN 1950 MODELS CREATED BY BURLAP. THEY WERE ALLOWED TO GO DOWNTOWN AT BRUNCH--IN A LADDER. EVERYONE HAD A GOOD TIME AT THE EXPENSE OF THE FRESHIES WHICH FINALLY ENDED AT THE HELLO DANCE.

GHOSTS AND GOBLINS HAUNTED THE STAIRWAYS OF DEAR OLD BIG PINE HIGH. THE TOWNSPEOPLE DONATED THE ENTERTAINMENT AND REFRESHMENTS WHILE A GOOD TIME WAS HAD BY ALL.

NOVEMBER

DEAR DIARY:

IT SEEMS AS IF THE TEACHERS HAVE TO GO BACK TO SCHOOL TOO. TEACHER'S INSTITUTE, STUDENTS VACATION.

STUDENT COUNCIL MEMBERS PACKED UP AND TOOK OFF FOR TRONA FOR THE FIRST C.A.S.C. DISTRICT MEETING OF THE YEAR.

DECEMBER

DEAR DIARY:

SPECIAL ELK SEASON. OUT OF THE TRILLIANT APPLICATIONS, ONE OF OUR DASHING BIG PINE WARRIORS WAS LUCKY ENOUGH TO GET A LICENSE--AND BROUGHT HOME THE BACON.

THE SENIOR CLASS HAS ACQUIRED A NEW MEMBER, A BOY TOO!

AT LAST! A REAL VACATION. TWO WEEKS FOR CHRISTMAS. SANTA GOT FOOLED THIS YEAR-- THOUGHT WE WERE ALL ANGELS.

JANUARY

DEAR DIARY:

BASKETBALL SEASON IS HERE AGAIN. ALTHOUGH THE WARRIORS SINCERELY TRIED THEY WON ONLY ONE GAME THIS MONTH. BETTER LUCK NEXT YEAR, FELLOWS.

Big Pine was host to the representatives of the Student Councils of the schools in our district. The luncheon was put on by the celeb-reties--the Juniors.

February

Dear Diary:

Oh, our aching --------, It's report cards again. One consolation, though-we're on the last lap now.

Dear old Abe and George! They got us out of school again.

The walls resounded with the echoes of the Lone Scout March at the first instrumental reci-tal of the year.

March

Dear Diary:

University Day at Redlands University was attended by several Big Pine students, accompan-ied by Mr. Dietrick. All those who went came back simply raving about campus life.

The Silly Seniors took an unauthorized vaca-tion one afternoon to go swimming. What an uproar!

You could hear calls of "Hello Blacky" all over school the last few days of this month. It seemed there was a Minstrel Show at the school

Our long awaited building is started at last and by next Sept. the lucky underclassmen will have a brand new gym.

April

Dear Diary:

Oh! At last! An official vacation, Easter vacation that is. A whole glorious week.

The G.A.A. gave a bean feed to raise funds for their annual trip.

To crown all these exciting events we atten-ded the Inyo County Music Festival in which the Big Pine Glee Club participated.

May

Dear Diary:

Happy day, this is the last whole month of school and to make it much happier the Junior-Sen-ior Banquet is to be held at Glacier Lodge. Also we get a couple days vacation. Then the Seniors get that day of a life time, "Ditch Day".

June

Dear Diary:

Here at last is the happiest of them all, because at long last Graduation and the 15th of June has arrived. The Seniors are now Alumnia of the Big Pine High School. The underclassmen have three long months to rest and so everyone is happy.

NAME	NICKNAME	FAVORITE SAYING
FRANK COOLEY	SPADE	DIRTY DOG
SALLY GRIFFITH	JO	WANNA BET?
MARIE O'BRIEN	MYRT	OH JEEZ
RUTH SCOTT	SCOTTIE	I DON'T KNOW
JEANNE TOWERS	JET	YOU GRIPE ME
BETTY STEWARD	BETTY BOO	BOY!!!
DIANE EARLL	DUMBO	O-O-H
HELEN NAEF	HELEN	HEIDI!!!
DWIGHT SIMMONS	SIMMONS	YEAH
BUDDY CYRUS	NAT	YOU BET
ELDRED RICHARDS	COON	OH--MRS. WASSON
BILL BYE	DADDY	BEETLE BOMB
RONALD ROSSI	COBY	SILENCE
CARLOS HERRERA	HOP	DARN RIGHT
BILL ROBERTS	WHITEY	DON'T BRUISE IT
MICHAEL ROSSI	MIKE	EAT IT
LORRAINE HERRMANN	PEE WEE	FOR PETE'S SAKE
AGNES BACOCH	AGGIE	SILENCE
GERALD WATSON	TEX	DEAR---JOHN
NICK BACOCH	NICK	HA! HA!
TEDDY HUNNEWELL	STUB	HI!!
JOY BROADY	PROXIE	OH! MICHAEL
HEIDI NAEF	HEIDI	YE GODS!
LORENE LEIGH	WEE WEE	LEAVE ME ALONE
STANFOR BALL	STAN	WELL NOW
CLIFFORD BOWERS	JEW	------------
JOE KNIGHT	JOE	HELLO SKINNY
MERTON RICHARDS	MERT	GOSH!!
RITA CYRUS	TA	JIMINY
BETTY ARMSTRONG	TOODLES	JUST--GIGGLES

	WISHES TO APPEAR	DOES APPEAR
SPADE	GROUCHY	JUST SLEEPY
STORMY	UNCONCERNED	IN LOVE
MYRT	A SENIOR	MARRIED
SCOTTIE	SHY	FAR FROM IT
JET	LITTLE	IN EVERYTHING
BETTY BOO	GLAMOROUS	CUTE
DUMBO	WITH THE GIRLS	WITH GARY
HELEN	SERIOUS	HAPPY GO LUCKY
SIMMONS	INDIFFERENT	INDIFFERENT
BUD	TOUGH	STUBBORN
COON	AROUND THE GIRLS	IN BISHOP
DADDY	A HEARTBREAKER	GIRL CRAZY
COBY	INNOCENT	NONCHALANT
HOP	LAZY	JUST CARLOS
WHITEY	FUNNY	A LITTLE OFF
MIKE	ANGELIC	DEVILISH
PEE WEE	A YOUNG LADY	TOMBOY
AGGIE	QUIET	QUIET--SOMETIMES
TEX	A COWBOY	RIDING DOUBLE
NICK	DASHING	IN SCHOOL
STUB	IMPORTANT	A GOOD SPORT
PROXIE	UNNOTICED	NOTICED
HEIDI	SIREN	GIRLISH
WEE WEE	SOPHISTICATED	FRIVOLOUS
STAN	A GOOD JOE	A GOOD JOE
JEW	IN FRONT OF CLASSES	IN THE FRONT SEAT
JOE	LIKE THE REST OF US	LIKE THE REST OF US
MERT	INNOCENT	WOLFISH
TA	STUDIOUS	STUDIOUS
TOODLES	BASHFUL	VERY NICE



G.A.A.

Helen Naef, Betty Stewart, Jeanne Towers, Sally Griffith Karen Rossi, Betty Coulon, Harriet Richards, Lorraine Herrmann, Lorene Leigh, Diane Earll, Joy Broady, Heidi Naef, Mrs. Rogers, Roberta Wilson, Agnes Bacoch, Jo Ann Huffman, Marie O'Brien, Betty Armstrong, Nancy Wade,Ruth Scott, Betty Jo Fawley, Rita Cyrus.



GLEE CLUB

Alan Crocker, Mike Connor, Lorita Stone, Annette Bush, Jeanne Towers, Heidi Naef, Mrs. Rogers, Marie O'Brien, Agnes Bacoch, Lorraine Herrmann, Rita Cyrus, Ruby Rossi, Joe Bright, Harriet Spratt, Gary Roberts, Karen Rossi, Sally Griffith, Jo Ann Huffman, Charlie Scott, Diane Earll, Daisy Bacoch, Jean Ives, Lorene Leigh,Betty J. Stewart, Betty Armstrong, Betty Coulon, Joy Broady, Ruth Scott.

G.A.A.

THE G.A.A. HAS PLANNED SEVERAL MONEY MAKING EVENTS AND WITH MRS. ROGERS AT THE HELM WE ARE BOUND TO MAKE A SUCCESS OF THEM ALL, AND IN SO DOING WE WILL BE ABLE TO TAKE OUR ANNUAL TRIP THIS SPRING.

THE OFFICERS FOR THE YEAR ARE AS FOLLOWS; PRESIDENT, JEANNE TOWERS, VICE-PRESIDENT, BETTY STEWART, SECRETARY, HELEN NAEL, AND TREASURER, SALLY GRIFFITH.

GLEE CLUB

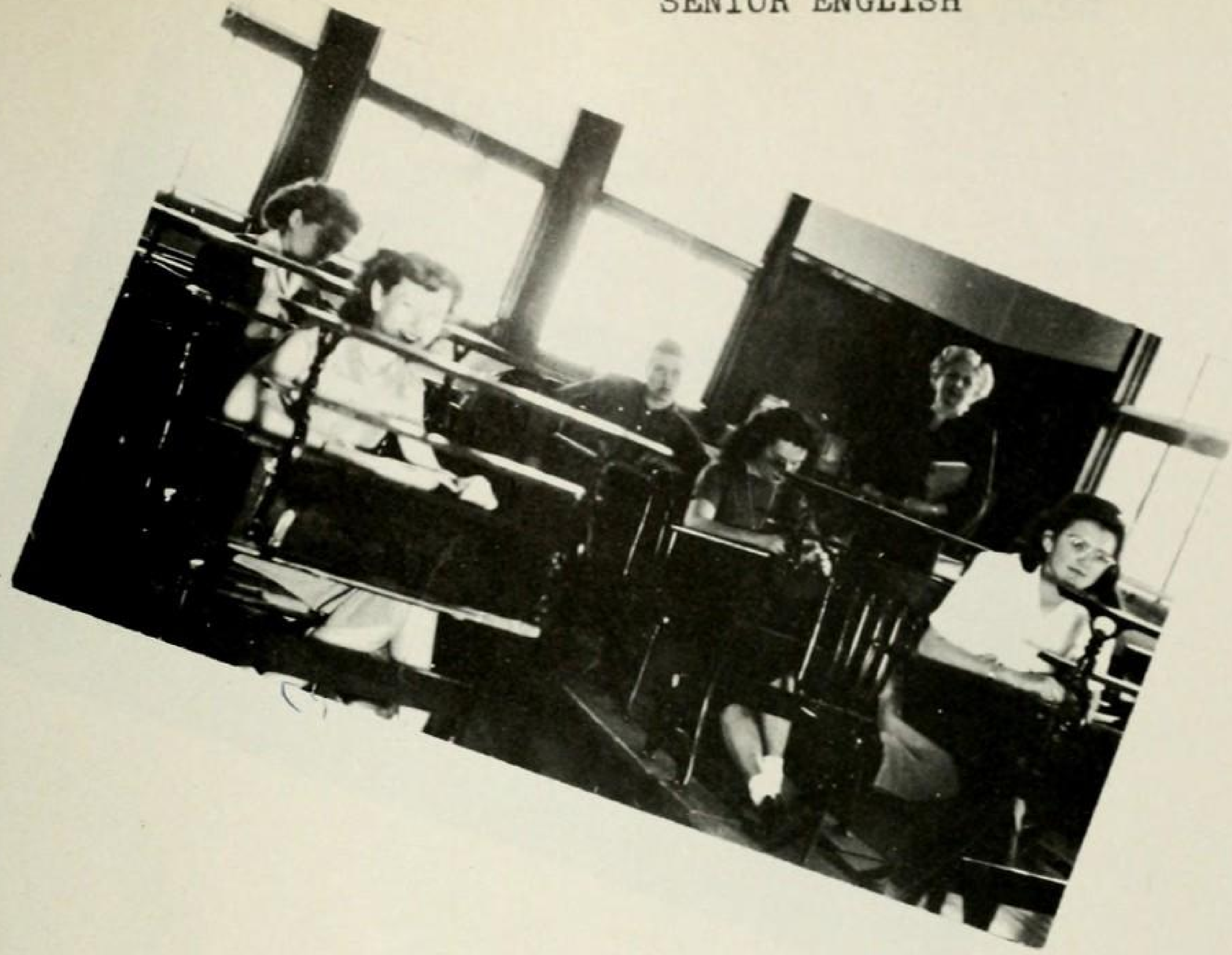
THE GLEE CLUB WAS ORGANIZED AT THE BEGINNING OF THIS SCHOOL YEAR BY OUR MUSIC TEACHER, MRS. SYBIL ROGERS. SINCE THEN MANY NEW MEMBERS HAVE JOINED THE CLUB, AND MANY OLD ONES HAVE LEFT IT. THE PRESENT MEMBERS OF THE GLEE CLUB ARE; SALLY GRIFFITH, JEANNE TOWERS, MARIE O'BRIEN, KIANE EARLL, HELEN NAEF, RUTH SCOTT, LORRAINE HERRMANN, AGNES BACOCH, JOY BROADY, HEIDI NAEF, BETTY COULON, JO ANN HUFFMAN, HAZEL BACOCH, JEAN IVES, ANNETTE BUSH, CHARLIE SCOTT, HARRIET SPRATT RUBY ROSSI, JOE BRIGHT, GARY ROBERTS, LORITA STONE VELMA BACOCH, KAREN ROSSI, ALLEN CROCKER, MICHAEL CONNOR, AND BONNIE IMUS.

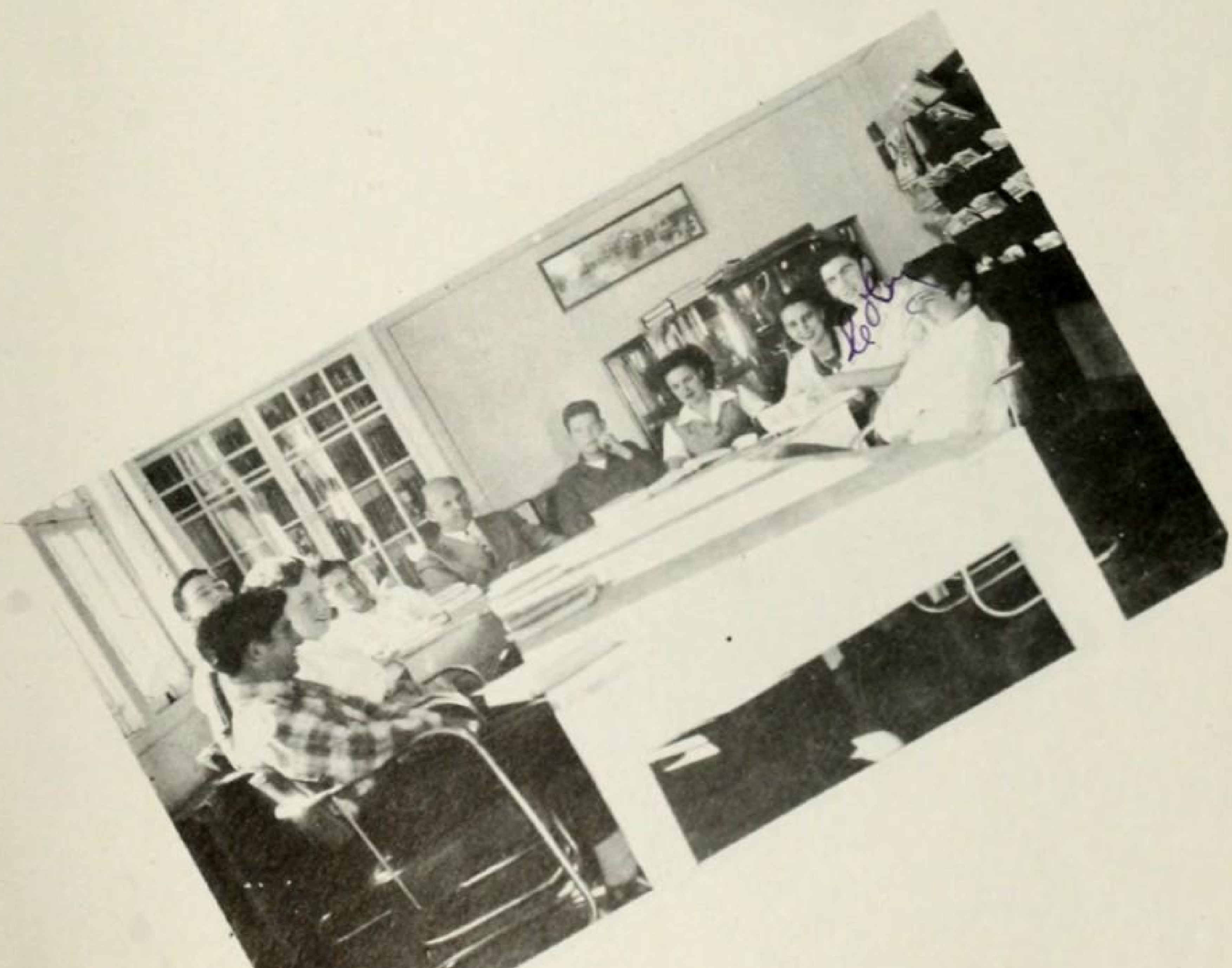
THE GLEE CLUB WILL APPEAR ON THE INYO COUNTY MUSIC FESTIVAL, TOGETHER WITH THE GLEE CLUBS FROM THE OTHER SCHOOLS IN THE COUNTY.

THE BIG PINE SCHOOL GLEE CLUB WAS THE ONLY VOCAL GROUP ASKED TO PARTICIPATE IN THE SHRINER PROGRAM.

OUR CLUB WAS VERY SUCCESSFUL, EVEN IN IT'S FIRST YEAR OF EXISTENCE, AND WE HOPE THAT IT WILL BE THE SAME IN THE YEARS TO COME.

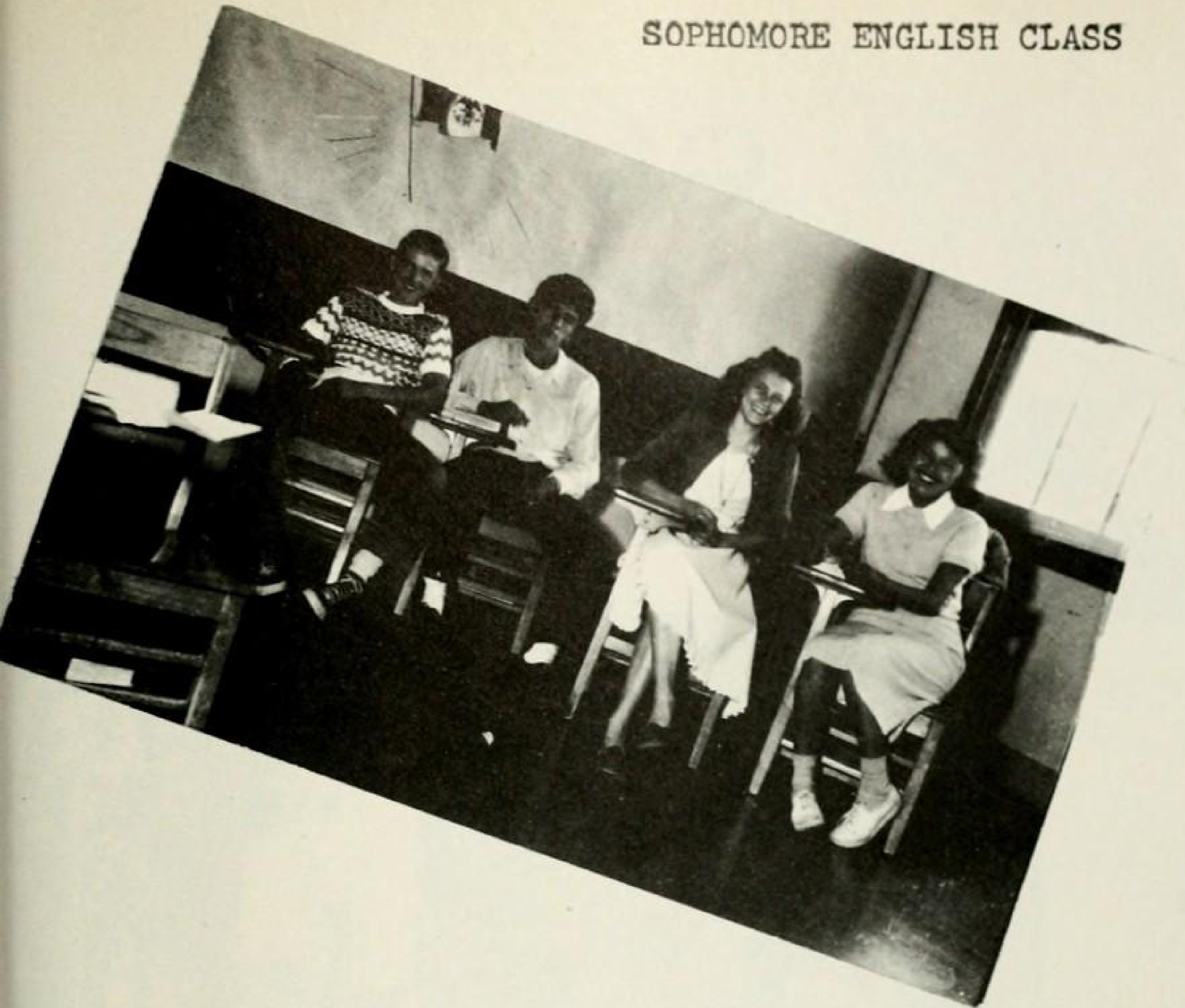
SENIOR ENGLISH





JUNIOR HISTORY

SOPHOMORE ENGLISH CLASS





FRESHMEN MATH CLASS


The 49ers



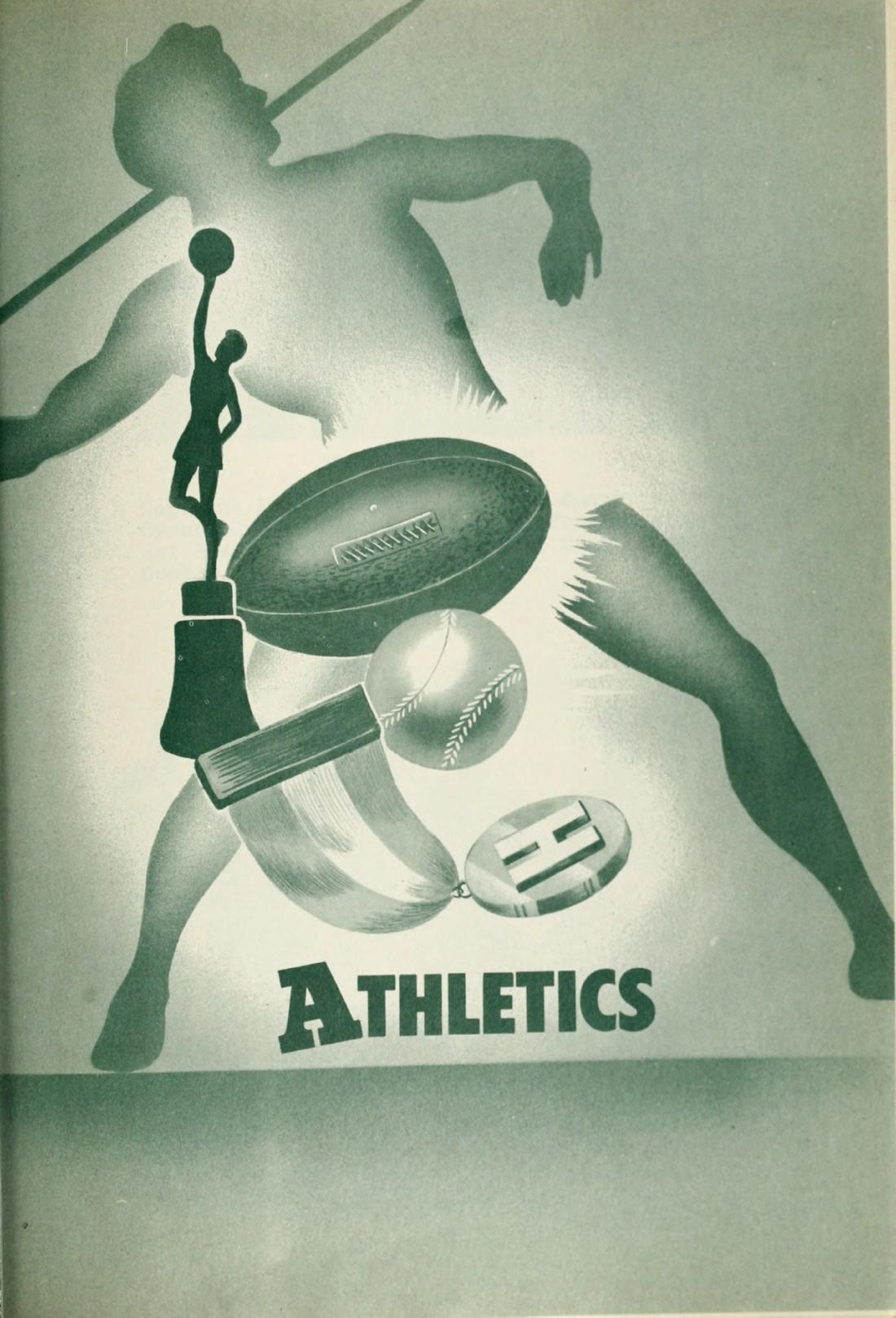








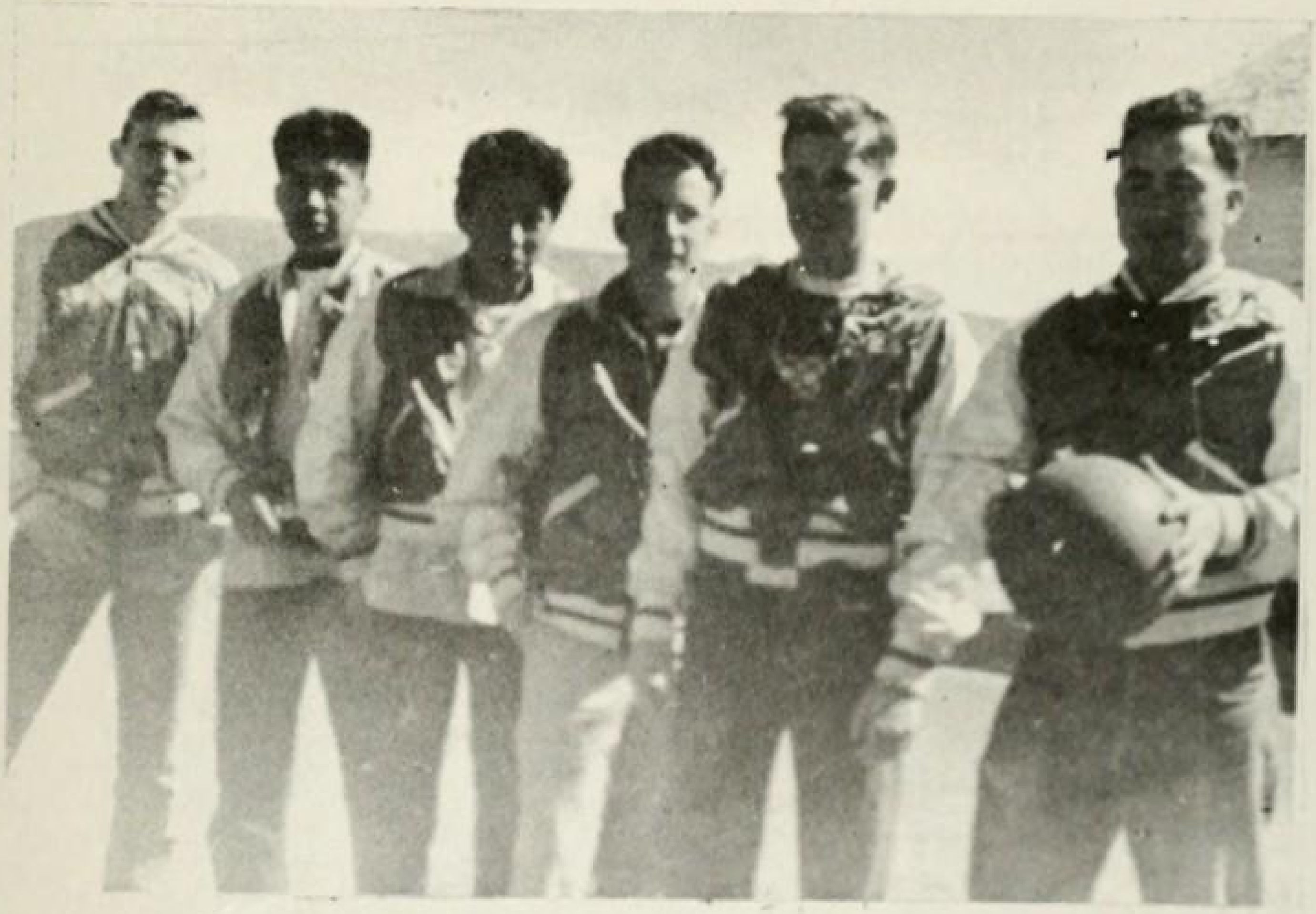



ATHLETICS



BASKETBALL A TEAM

Captain; Forward: Gerald Watson, Guard: Buddy Cyrus, Guard: Eldred Richards, Forward Michael Rossi, Forward: Nick Bacoch, Guard; Frank Cooley, Forward: Bill Bye.



BASKETBALL B TEAM

Captain; Forward: Carlos Herrera, Forward: Teddy Hunnewell, Guard: Joe Knight, Forward: Merton Richards, Forward: Clifford Bowers, Center: Stanford Ball.



BASEBALL TEAM

1st row; Ted Hunnewell--2nd Base; Carlos Herrera--Right Field; Merton Richards--3rd Base Joe Knight-Short Stop; Clifford Bowers-Catcher; Gerald Watson--Pitcher; Stan Ball -- Out field; Eldred Richards--Catcher; Nick Bacoch Pitcher; Frank Cooley--Left Field; Bud Cyrus Short Stop; Mike Rossi-Center Field; Bill Bye 1st Base.



TENNIS TEAM

Bill Bye, Teddy Hunnewell, Sally Griffith, Clifford Bowers, Stanford Ball, Lorraine Herrmann, Diane Earll, Coby Rossi, Rita Cyrus, Agnus Bacoch Gerald Watson, Bud Cyrus, Nick Bacoch, Heidi Naef

SPORTS

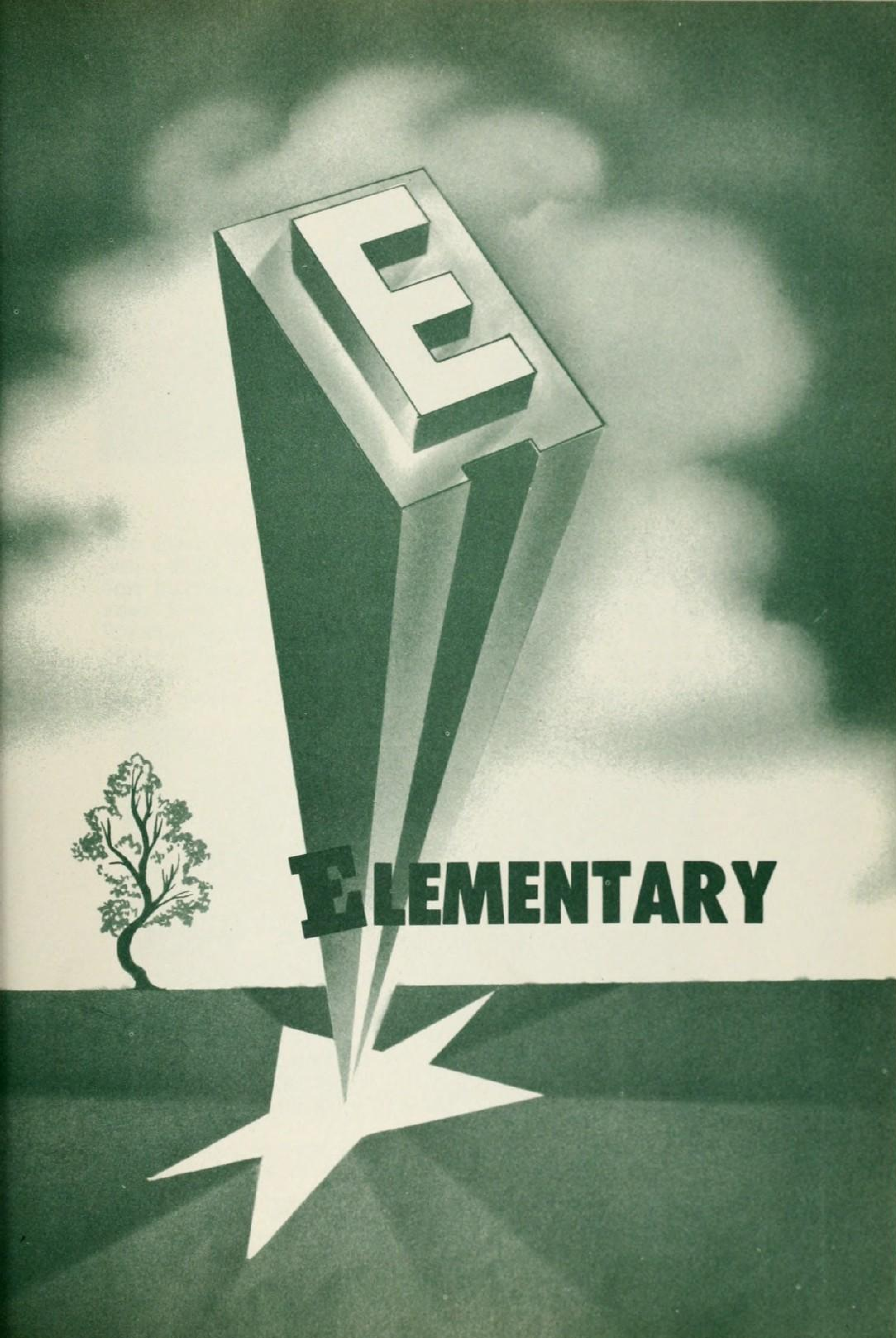
DUE TO THE SHORTAGE OF MEN THIS YEAR, BIG PINE HAD NO LEAGUE FOOTBALL GAMES. BUT THEY DID HAVE SOME PRACTICE GAMES, AND EVEN WITH THEIR HANDICAP, MADE A FINE SHOWING.

THIS YEAR BIG PINE'S BASKETBALL TEAM HAD A SEASON OF HARD COMPETITION. AND ALTHOUGH THEY WON ONLY ONE GAME, EACH PLAYER SHOULD BE CONGRATULATED ON HIS SPORTSMANSHIP AND HARD WORK. EACH OF THE OPPOSING TEAMS REALIZE THAT THEY HAD TO FIGHT TO GET THEIR SCORE. HERE'S HOPPING WE HAVE A BETTER TEAM NEXT YEAR, WITH FIVE LETTERMEN RETURNING TO A NEW GYM AND A LOT OF SCHOOL SPIRIT. GOOD LUCK FELLAS!
SCORES FOR THE SEASON WERE AS FOLLOWS.

JAN. 7.	BARSTOW AND BIG PINE	53 TO 27
13.	BISHOP AND BIG PINE	41 TO 27
14.	BIG PINE AND OWENSVALLEY	40 TO 37
20.	BIG PINE AND OWENSVALLEY	35 TO 33
21.	BURROS AND BIG PINE	32 TO 54
24.	LONE PINE AND BIG PINE	48 TO 41
27.	TRONA AND BIG PINE	63 TO 48
FEB. 4.	VICTORVILLE AND BIG PINE	58 TO 36
10.	RANDSBURG AND BIG PINE	54 TO 19
24.	LONE PINE AND BIG PINE	83 TO 37

BIG PINE HIGH SCHOOL IS PLAYING BASEBALL FOR THE FIRST TIME IN MANY YEARS AND THE FIRST WEEK OF PRACTICE HAS BEEN VERY PROMISING. THERE ARE MANY GAMES SCHEDULED FOR THIS YEAR, BUT NONE ARE LEAGUE GAMES. AN OFFICIAL BASEBALL LEAGUE WAS NOT ORGANIZED THIS YEAR. BIG PINE IS AN INEXPERIENCED TEAM BUT THEY ARE READY TO MEET ALL COMPETITION WHEN THE SEASON IS WELL UNDERWAY BIG PINE WILL BE MAKING A GOOD SHOWING AND WILL BE READY FOR LEAGUE COMPETITION NEXT YEAR.

ALL THE HIGH SCHOOL BOYS HAVE TURNED OUT FOR THIS SPORT AND ARE INTERESTED IN THE GAME.


ELEMENTARY

Good Luck
to a nice
gal
Gary Roberts

To a very sweet and
nice girl
Charlie Scott

Nancy
"54"

Humm Hum
Buzzy
Ludwig

Hoffman

Joann

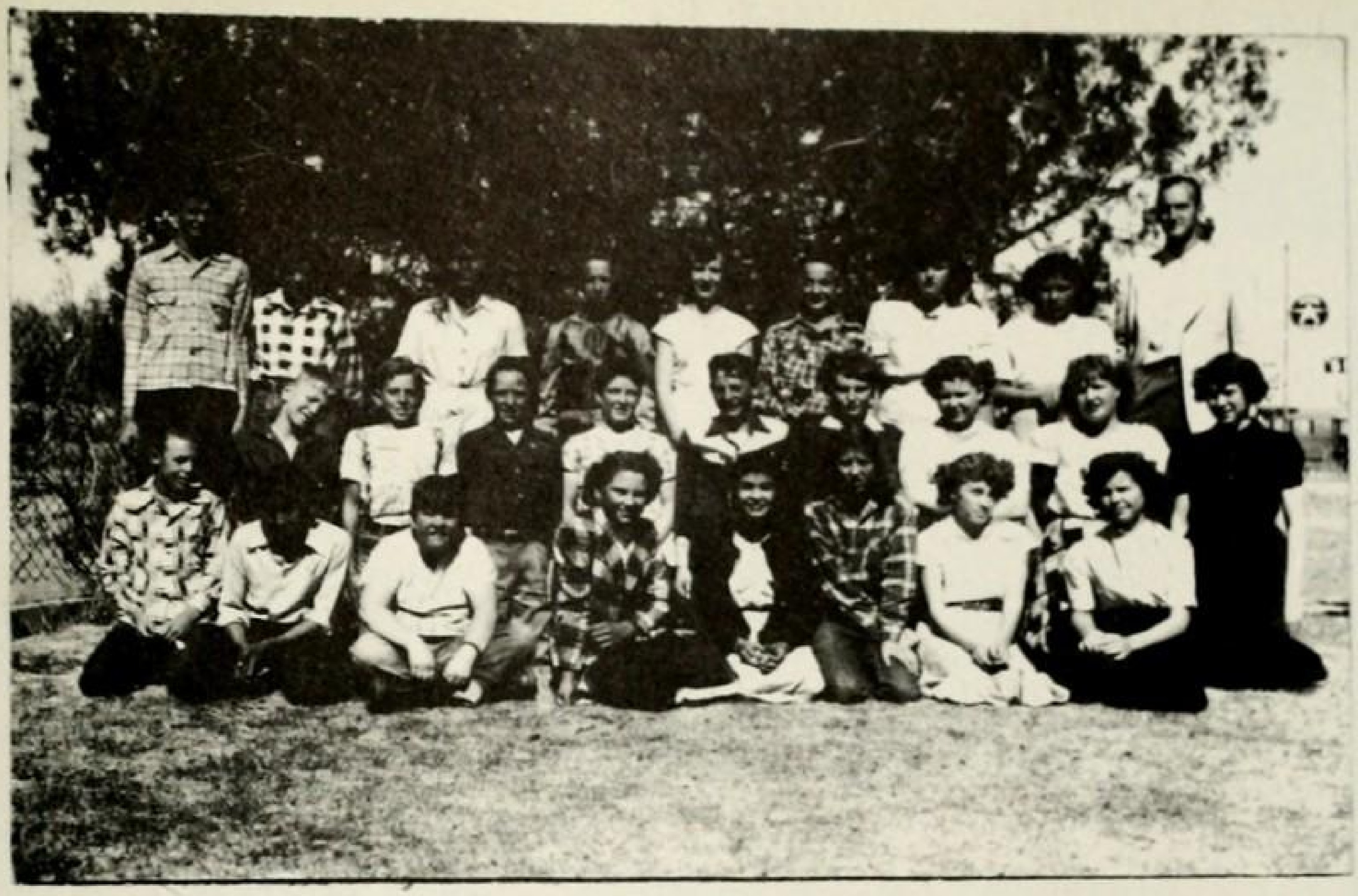
Good Luck
Diane Thompson
Karen
"Class of 54"

Karen Rossi
"54"

Bill
Simmons

Duane

Bean
Polo



7th and 8th GRADE

1st row: Bill Peterson, Lawerence Towers, Velma Bacoch, Bill Peterson, Betty Coulon, Bill Simmons, Jo Ann Huffman, Harriet Richards, Mr. Laughead. 2nd row: Evertt Ludwick, Dick Nelson, Gary Roberts, Duane Rossi, Charlie Scott, Karen Rossi, Nancy Wade, Roberta Wilson, Nancy Bolt, 3rd row: Michael Paul, Wilfred Hill, Bob Peterson, Jean Ives, Harriet Spratt, Betty Jo Fawley, Caroline Herrmann, Barbara Bonds.



1st row; Forward: Gary Roberts, Forward; Mike Paul, Forward: Duane Rossi, Guard: Wilfred Hill, Guard: Dick Nelson.
2nd row; Guard: Lawerence Towers, Guard: Charlie Scott, Center: Bill Rushing, Center: Bill Simmons, Forward: Buzzy Ludwick.

8TH GRADE WILL

I, CHARLIE SCOTT, DO HEREBY WILL MY ABILITY TO LEAVE THE CLASSROOM AT ANY TIME TO HARRIET SPRATT.

I, JO ANN HUFFMAN, DO HEREBY WILL MY TALLNESS TO MIKE PAUL.

I, BETTY JO FAWLEY, DO HEREBY WILL MY THINNESS TO ROBERT PETERSON.

I, HARRIET RICHARDS, TO HEREBY WILL MY ABILITY TO GET OUT OF TROUBLE TO NANCY BOLT.

I, GARY ROBERTS, DO HEREBY WILL MY PERSONALITY WITH THE GIRLS TO DICK NELSON.

I, DUANE ROSSI, DO HEREBY WILL MY FRECKLES TO CAROLINE HERRMANN.

I, BILL SIMMONS, DO HEREBY WILL MY ABILITY TO TALK OUT LOUD AT ANY TIME TO JEAN IVES.

I, LAWRENCE TOWERS, DO HEREBY WILL MY ABILITY TO TALK SLOW TO BUZZY LUDWICK.

I, BILL PETERSON, DO HEREBY WILL MY DESK FULL OF JUNK TO BARBARA BONDS.

I, NANCY WADE, DO HEREBY WILL MY ABILITY OF BEING A GOOD SCHOLAR TO BILL RUSHING.

I, BETTY COULON, DO HEREBY WILL MY PERSONALITY WITH THE BOYS TO VELMA BACOCH.

I, KAREN ROSSI, DO HEREBY WILL MY ABILITY TO DANCE TO WILFRED HILL.

JOKES

"NOW STUDENTS," SAID MR. MARKO, "TELL ME THE SIGNS OF THE ZODIAC. YOU FIRST CLIFFORD."
TAURUS, THE BULL."
"RIGHT! NOW, YOU JOE, ANOTHER ONE."
"CANCER, THE CRAB."
"RIGHT AGAIN. AND NOW IT'S YOUR TURN MERTON."
MERTON LOOKED PUZZLED, HE HESITATED A MOMENT AND THEN BLURTED OUT; "MICKEY THE MOUSE."

MR. DIETRICK: "BEFORE WE BEGIN THIS EXAMINATION ARE THERE ANY QUESTIONS?"
FRANK COOLEY: "WHAT'S THE NAME OF THIS COURSE?"

HE SHOULD HAVE STUDIED HIS BUSINESS ENGLISH

ONE OF BILL ROBERT'S HAMBURGER CUSTOMERS WAS NOTORIOUS FOR HIS SLOWNESS IN PAYING HIS BILLS. IN DESPERATION BILL SENT THE FOLLOWING LETTER: "SIR: WHO BOUGHT A LOT OF HAMBURGERS FROM ME AND DID NOT PAY? YOU. WHO PROMISED TO PAY IN SIXTY DAYS? YOU. WHO IS A THIEF, LIAR, AND SCOUNDREL?"

YOURS TRULY,
BILL ROBERTS

FEMININE AMBITIONS

FRESHMAN GIRL: SHE WANTS TO MARRY A FOOTBALL HERO.
SOPHOMORE GIRL: SHE WANTS TO MARRY HER FAVORITE MALE TEACHER.
JUNIOR GIRL: SHE WANTS TO MARRY A CAPITALIST.
SENIOR GIRL: SHE WANTS TO MARRY A MAN.

"HORSE SENSE," MAYBE.--LET HALF A DOZEN HORSES RUN AROUND A TRACK AND 50,000 MEN WILL TURN OUT TO WATCH THEM; BUT LET HALF A DOZEN MEN RUN AROUND A TRACK AND SEE HOW MANY HORSES TURN OUT FOR THE EVENT.

JOKES

HELEN NAEF: "WHAT'S THE IDEA OF PAINTING YOUR CAR BLACK ON ONE SIDE AND TAN ON THE OTHER?"
CARLOS: "IT'S A GREAT IDEA. YOU SHOULD HEAR THE WITNESSES CONTRADICTING THEMSELVES.

MR. FURU, SPONSOR FOR THE SPORTSMAN CLUB, WAS MORE THAN AMAZED BY THE SUPER MARKSMANSHIP OF ONE MEMBER, BILL RUSSHING. ALL OVER THE REGION WHERE HE WAS PRACTICING, ON TRESS, FENCES AND POSTS WERE TRAGETS BULL'S-EYES WITH HOLES IN THE DEAD CENTER AS EVIDENCE OF HIS UNCANNY SKILL. "YOUR CERTAINLY ARE A SHARPSHOOTER, "MR. FURU SAID, "HOW DO YOU DO IT?" "EASY AS PIE," ANSWERED BILL, "I JUST SHOOT FIRST AND THEN DRAW THE CIRCLE.

AN OLD MAN AT A MUSICAL, GIVEN BY MRS. ROGERS STUDENTS, WEPT CAPIOUSLY WHILE "MY OLD KENTUCKY HOME" WAS BEING RENDERED, BY BILL BYE. AFTERWARDS, MRS. ROGERS INQUIRED TENDERLY: "PARDON ME ARE YOU A KENTUCKIAN?" "NO MADAM" THE TEARFUL ONE REPLIED, "I'M A MUSICIAN."

BETTY STEWART: "SO YOU HOPE TO GRADUATE CUM LAUDE?
JEANNE TOWERS: "NOPE, I ONLY HOPE TO GRADUATE CUM SPRING."

MR. MARKO: "IS THIS THEME ORIGINAL?"
AGNES: "OH, YOU MAY FIND A FEW OF THE WORDS IN THE DICTIONARY."

LORRAINE HERRMANN'S MAIDEN SPEECH

"AS I WAS SITTING ON MY THOUGHT, A SEAT STRUCK ME."

LORENE LEIGH AND HEIDI NAEF TO AGENT IN FOREIGN TRAVEL OFFICE: "ABOUT THIS ISLE OF MAN -- IS THERE ONLY ONE?"

MARIE O'BRIEN: "YOU DON'T SEEM TO THINK MUCH OF HIM."
RUTH SCOTT: "IF HE HAD HIS CONSCIENCE TAKEN OUT IT WOULD BE A MINOR OPERATION.

JOKES

MISS GRAHAM: "What insect requires the least food?"
LORRAINE HERRMANN: "The moth--it eats nothing but holes."

DWIGHT SIMMONS: "What's the date please?"
MR. DIETRICK: "Never mind the date. The examination is more important."
DWIGHT SIMMONS: "Well I wanted to have something right on my paper."

MIKE ROSSI: "It's great speeding along like this. Don't you feel glad you are alive?"
JOY BROADY: "Glad isn't the word, I'm amazed."

PA: "Well, son, How are your marks this month?
BUD CYRUS: "They're under water."
PA: "What do you mean--under water?"
BUD CYRUS: "Below C. level."

Bill Bye's Maiden Speech

When he stood up he was spellbound. The big and jubilant audience dazed him, and as he stammered and stuttered in an attempt to get started, one of the members of the audience yelled: "Tell 'em all you know, Bill. It won't take long." That was just enough to rile Bill. "I'll tell 'em all we both know," he shot back. "It won't take any longer."

A grade school English class was asked to write a composition of 250 words on any subject. Little Dickie turned in the following brilliant effort: "Charlie was driving his new truck one day last summer and he had a tire puncture. The other 234 words are not fit for publication."

JOKES

BOB PETERSON WAS NOT PRONE TO OVER-EXERTION IN SCHOOL; THEREFORE, HIS MOTHER WAS SURPRISED AND PLEASED WHEN HE CAME HOME WITH THIS ANNOUNCEMENT, "I GO 100 TODAY." "THAT'S WONDERFUL, DEAR, WHAT WAS IT IN?" SHE ASKED, "50 IN READING AND 50 IN SPELLING."

GARY ROBERTS: "MAN IS THE GREATEST INVENTION IN THE WORLD."
DICKIE NELSON: "YES BUT WOMAN IS AN IMPROVEMENT."
GARY ROBERTS: "YEAH THAT'S WHAT KEEPS MEN OUT LATE LOOKING FOR IMPROVEMENTS."

TEDDY HUNNEWELL: "DON'T WORRY ABOUT DIANE, GIRLS ARE A NICKLE A DOZEN."
COBY ROSSI: "GEE! I'VE BEEN BUYING CANDY BARS."

SALLY: (AFTER THE RODEO) "A FINE RIDER YOU ARE I TOLD YOU DISTINCTLY TO COME AWAY WITH A RUSH AT THE CORNER. WHY DIDN'T YOU?"
GERALD: "I DIDN'T THINK IT SEEMED QUITE SPORTING TO LEAVE THE HORSE BEHIND."

MRS. WASSON: "HOW DID YOU HAPPEN TO OVERSLEEP THIS MORNING ELDRED?"
ELDRED: "THERE ARE EIGHT OF US IN THE HOUSE AND THE CLOCK WAS SET FOR SEVEN."

DURING A HISTORY LESSON MR. MARKO ASKED, "RITA, WHAT ARE THE PHOENICIANS NOTED FOR?" RITA: "BLINDS"

FOREMAN: "HEY, BUD, HOW COME YOU ARE SLEEPING ON THE JOB?"
NICK BACOCH: "GOODNESS GRACIOUS, CAN'T A MAN CLOSE HIS EYES FOR A MINUTE OF PRAYER?"


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